

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (USPTO)	
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Title of Application	Systems and Methods For Encoding Randomly Distributed Features In An Object
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Group Art Unit	2135
Examiner	Suman Debnath
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(C)(2) TO WITHDRAW

APPLICATION FROM ISSUE

REMARKS

The Issue Fee was paid in the instant application on April 23, 2009. This Petition Under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) to Withdraw Application from Issue ("Petition") is being filed to enable the Office to consider the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114 and the submission of an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed today, May 27, 2009.

Applicant requests that this Petition be promptly granted, so that the documents listed on the IDS can be considered by the Examiner prior to issuance.

The petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) (\$130.00) is being paid by credit card through the EFS system; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in, or credit any overpayment of, fees to Deposit Account No. 12-0769.

Respectfully Submitted,

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